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MEETING MARCH 30

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TICKELL TODAY GAVE US A QUICK RESUME OF MARCH 30 EC POLITICAL DIRECTORS DISCUSSION OF MBFR. ACCORDING TO REPORT TICKELL HAD HAD FROM FCO OFFICIALS ATTENDING MARCH 30 MEETING, DISCUSSION OF MBFR REMAINED VERY GENERAL. FRENCH HAD LITTLE TO SAY. DUTCH INDICATED THEIR OPPOSITION TO MBFR DISCUSSIONS IN EC CONTEXT. ITALIANS STRESSED IMPORTANCE OF ONLY US AND SOVIET FORCES BEING REDUCED AS RESULT OF MBFR NEGOTIATIONS. TICKELL SAID IT WAS AGREED THAT FURTHER CONSULTATIONS ON MBFR WOULD BE HELD IN POLITICAL COMMITTEE APRIL 29 MEETING, ALTHOUGH DUTCH CONTINUE TO TAKE DIM VIEW OF IDEA. TICKELL REITERATED THAT BRITISH SEE NO HARM IN GENERAL DISCUSSION OF MBFR IN PC AS LONG AS IT IS KEPT WITHIN CAREFULLY PRESCRIBED LIMITS.
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